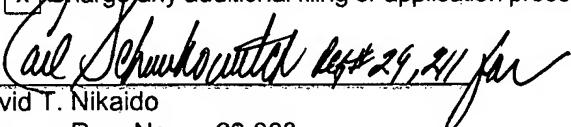




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Application No. 10/790,098-Conf. #1190	Filing Date March 2, 2004	Examiner S. R. Kastler	Art Unit 1742	
Applicant(s): Mitsukane Nakashima				
Invention: METAL MELTING FURNACE				
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS				
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.				
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.				
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I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated April 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-7 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claim 7 is added.

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

(There are no amendments to the specification)